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SUBJECT: GAO REQUEST FOR CABLES ON AWACS

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1. REFTEL RELAYED REQUEST BY GAO OFFICERS FROM FRANKFURT FOR RELEASE OF THREE CABLES ON AWACS, ONE EACH GENERATED BY SECSTATE, USNATO, AND EMBASSY BONN. THE CABLES RELATE TO AWACS AND HAVE BEEN REQUESTED ACCORDING TO REFTEL, "IN CONNECTION WITH PREPARATION OF A SELF-INITIATED GAO REPORT ON THE STATUS OF NATO AEW" WHICH "WILL BE SENT TO STATE, DOD, AND, POSSIBLY, THE CONGRESS."

2. THE GAO REPORT ON NATO AEW IS A HEADQUARTERS-GENERATED REPORT WHICH WILL BE COMPILED IN WASHINGTON. WE BELIEVE RELEASE OF CABLE TRAFFIC TO GAO IN CONNECTION WITH THIS REPORT SHOULD THEREFORE BE COORDINATED HERE. DEPARTMENT

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AND DOD WISH TO BE AS COOPERATIVE AS POSSIBLE BUT GAO SHOULD REQUEST RELEASE OF THESE AND ALL OTHER CABLES RE NATO AWACS FROM DEPARTMENT OF STATE AND/OR DOD. WE WILL BE GLAD TO DISCUSS THE THREE MESSAGES IN QUESTION WITH GAO REPRESENTATIVES HERE ON RECEIPT OF SUCH A REQUEST. VANCE

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